



CITY OF KENNER

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City of Kenner to Host Public Swearing-In Ceremony for Julie Stokes

Kenner, LA - State Rep. Julie Stokes, R-Kenner, will be administered the oath of office on Tuesday, March 26 at 6:30 p.m. The event, open to the public, will be held in the Kenner City Hall Council Chambers located at 1801 Williams Boulevard. She succeeds and fills the remaining term of Tony Ligi, who resigned from the House to work for the Jefferson Business Council.

Stokes was elected to the Louisiana Legislature March 2nd to the House 79th District seat and was sworn into office in a private ceremony March 13th. She serves on the Ways and Means, Health and Welfare and Labor and Industrial Committees.

Julie Stokes has served on the Executive Committee of the Jefferson Chamber, Mayor Yenni's Economic Development Committee in Kenner and as a Jefferson Representative on the Regional Transit Authority. She has been President of various groups such as the Chateau Estates Civic Organization, the Accounting and Financial Women's Alliance and the Jefferson Young Leaders (a precursor to the JCEL of the Jefferson Chamber).



She has lived in or near District 79 for her entire life, being educated in the Jefferson Parish Public School System, and attending the University of New Orleans on full scholarship where she received her Bachelor's of Science in Accounting, Magna Cum Laude.

Julie Stokes is an accountant and CFO and owner of Stokes & Associates, Inc. which she operates with her husband, Larry. Julie resides in Kenner with her husband and their two children, Brandon and Taylor.

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